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## New Lyra™ High CAC Ceilings from Armstrong Offer Highest Level of Sound Absorption and Sound Blocking in a Single Panel

*Combination of high NRC (0.95) and CAC (42) provides best overall acoustical performance in the industry*



**LANCASTER, PA** — With the addition of new Lyra™ High CAC ceilings to its product line, Armstrong® now offers the highest level of sound absorption and sound blocking in a single ceiling panel.

Lyra™ High CAC combines a high NRC (Noise Reduction Coefficient) of 0.95 with a high CAC (Ceiling Attenuation Class) of 42, providing the best overall acoustical performance of any ceiling panel in the industry.

The combination of sound absorption and sound blocking performance gives Lyra™ High CAC the flexibility to meet the

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acoustical demands of privacy, collaboration, and focus areas in either open or closed plan spaces. The high NRC helps reduce noise within a space, enhancing speech intelligibility, while the high CAC helps prevent noise from intruding into adjacent spaces, ensuring speech privacy.

### **Smooth, Drywall-like Visual**

Made from a fiberglass face panel and mineral fiber back panel, Lyra™ High CAC offers a smooth, white, drywall-like visual and is available in 24" x 24" square Lay-in and Tegular panels. The panels are compatible with TechZone® Ceiling Systems and coordinate with Blizzard White suspension systems and Axiom® trim. The panels are washable, scratch-resistant, soil-resistant, and sag-resistant. They have high light reflectance and carry a 30-Year Limited System Warranty against visible sag and mold/mildew.

The panels are made from up to 59 percent recycled content and are recyclable through the Armstrong Ceiling Recycling Program.

Lyra™ High CAC ceilings are recommended for use in offices, healthcare, classrooms, corridors, lobbies, reception areas, and other spaces where sound absorption and sound blocking are desired.

For more information about Lyra™ High CAC, visit [armstrong.com/lyrahighcac](http://armstrong.com/lyrahighcac), chat live, or call a U.S.-based TechLine<sup>SM</sup> expert at 1-877-276-7876, press 1.

Armstrong World Industries is a global leader in the design and manufacture of ceilings and floors. In 2014, Armstrong consolidated net sales from continuing operations totaled approximately \$2.5 billion. Based in Lancaster, PA, Armstrong operates 31 plants in eight countries and has approximately 7,400 employees worldwide.

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